COMMERCIAL.

Affairs financially are in about the same condition as reported last week. In New York the money market is quoted easy at 12a2 per cent on call loans. Gold rates are steady, closing today at 1051. Government bonds are steady, and the new 63 are slightly higher. State securities are firmer, Virginia consols selling at 722 a73, and July coupons at 7939792. In local railroad securities there is nothing doing, and we quote

		Ask.
Orange, Alexa. & Man., 7s	***	70
Orango & Alexa. 63, 1st	63	เบ๋
Oranga & Alexa. 8s, 3d	***	55
Orange & Alexa. Ss, 4th	83	
Virginia & Tennessee, Sa	•••	•••

Prices of Produce in	Al	exa	ud	ri	a.
FLOUR, Fine	\$6	60	(0)	6	25
Superfine	7	00	(0	7	25
lixtra	8	50	(4)		00
Family.		00	(0)	9	50
Fancy brands		50	(0)	10	0)
WHEAT, common to fair	1	EO	(4)	1	60
	î	60	(0)	1	65
Good to prime	î	75	(4)	1	77
Choice	-	64	(0)	0	65
CORN, white	•	63	(0)	U	64
Mixed		63	(0)	0	61
Yellow		75	(11)	0	80
RYE		45	(2)		47
OATS	()	15	(0)		16
BUTTER, prime	d	10	(1)		15
Common to middling	35	15	(14)		16
EGGS	1	75	(a)	-	00
IRISH POTATOES	()	12	(0		13
BACON, Hams, country	ŭ	15	(0)	0	16
Rest sugar cured Hams			(4)	0	144
Sutchers' Hams	0	14	(1)		15
Western	0	14	40.5	ŏ	12
Sides	0	114	(4)	11	9
Shoulders	11	0	(12)		and t
1. A RD	0.300	13	(1)	0	14
VEAL CALVES	1)	4	14	0	U
PLASTER, ground, per ton.	t,	00	(4)		00
Ground, in bags or bbls	0	00	(w)		50
Lump	-1	00	(4)	0	00

Fine. 1 75 @ 1 90
Furk's Island 0 30 @ 0 40
WOOL, long unwashed, 0 28 @ 0 30
Washed 0 34 @ 0 25 Washed Merino, unwashed 0 25 @ 0 10 Do. washed...... 0 31 (3) HAY...... 13 00 (6 15 00 The market continues dull and inactive in consequence of the light receipts of grain. Low grades of Flour show a decline of 25c, but others remain unchanged. Wheat is nominal, hardly enough being offered to warrant quotations. Corn is firmer to-day, and some small tots brought 63, 64 and 65. No sales of Rye or Oats reported. Entire is dull and lower. Eggs take higher. Wool in fair receipt at an advance.

SALT, G. A. (Liverpool)..... 1 10 (a) 1 20

BALTIMORE, June 23.-Virginia 62, old, 30; deformed 41; do.consolidated 72; do.21 series 41; Cotton strong and higher; middling 12a123. Flour strong; Howard street and Western Super 4 258\$5 25; do. Extra 6 50a\$7 25; do. Famiy Sa\$9 Wheat sem, with an active inquiry; No. 2 Western winter red, Aug delivery, 140a 141; do. July 142; Maryland rod new 165a1C); do. amber 1955290; do. white 185a200. Corn-southern steady; Western active and lower, but closed steady and firm at a decline; South'n white (6467; do. yellow 62; Western mixed spot and July 583; Aug 603; steamer 564. Oats quiet and unchanged. Pyc quiet; prime 75 Hay dull and unchanged. Coffse unchanged. Sugar active and drm at 114. Whiskey held at \$1.13.

NEW YORK, June 29.-Stocks lower during the morning, but at first board improved. Mon-Wheat dull and nominally lower. Corn dull and taje lower.

RICHMOND MARKET, June 28.-The market is inactive, and the offerings of grain very limited. Sales of only about 60 bushels of Wheat at 170a180 for prime to choic. The sales of Corn were on private terms, while 80 bushels of Spring Oats brought 42c per bushel.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, June 28 .- The market remains very quiet, while the receipts of grain are very small, and quotations are almost nominal. Wheat 100 a175, as to quality; Corn 50 a6); Ryo 60465, and Oats 40,45.

PREDERICKSBURG MARKET, June 28,-The market remains quiescent, with very light ro wints of grain, and quotations, especially for Wheat, are nominal, viz: common to good 1404 175; Corn 6)a62; Rye 70a75, and Oats 87a49.

BALTIMORE SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET .and we note the sale to day of 350 hhds Porto Rico for refining at 99-16 cents. Quotations

are as follows: Cuba, grocery grades.....

New Orleans, grocery grades...... a
Coffee—The market is firm and moderately active. We note sales of 1128 bags at 191c, and

Choice to fancy...... 28 a ... (Gold, 60 days.)

ALEXANDRIA CATTLE MARKET, June 29 .-Prices to-day ranged as follows:

Cattle, very best 53 a 6 Common...... 4 a 42 Caives, best...... 5 a 54 Good 4 a 5 Sheep 4 a 5 Lambs PaSi per head, or 5x6lc per lb

The market for Beef Cattle opened slow, and prices, quality considered, were not quite so igh as last week; heavy fat Cattle are not in demand, the lighter grade, at a lower figure, being the kind that sell most readily; quota tions 4s6c. Calves still continue dull, and prices rule low. Sheep and Lambs are in good supply, and prices still have a downward tendency, a better class of Sheep and Lambs not bringing any more than last week's prices. Hogs are in good supply, and sell slowly, in picked lots to suit purchasers, at from C3 to 7c. Cows and Calves dull at quotations. Market moderately

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, June 28 .-Beeves-Receipts 3076 head. The demand was not equal to the supply, and the market drooped and closed heavy at a decline equal to more than to per lb Ordinary fat Bulls were sold at de per lb live weight; common and ordinary Texas and Cherokee Cattle at 7½aSc per pound dressed; common to fair Colorado Steers at 94 lute; common to good nativo Steers at 10a12c, and prime and extra do. at 121a122c. City slaughtered Beef had a fair sale in Washington Market at 84102c per lb for common to choice. Calves - Receipts 2188 head. The market was overstocked, and prices fell off about he per 1b. Fair to choice veals were sold at 51:01c per lb; common and medium do. at 42 a5tc, and decent buttermilk fed Calves at 3½a32c per lb. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5431 head. Lambs

were doing better, while Sheep declined a fraction. Poor to good Lambs were sold at 5a7c per lb; prime and extra do. from 71e74, and pror to

ood Sheep from 4a51c per lb.
Hogs—Receipts 5955 head.
Dressed Hogs he was fixed by the Mayor. were firm at 62a71c per pound.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, June 28.—Cattle receipts 4000; shipments 2500; market dull and nominally unchanged. Hogs-receipts 3,000; shipments 2600; market dull and weak and 10al5c lower; packing 4 55a\$4 70; shipping 4 60a\$4 90; medium and butchers' 4 65a\$4 75. Sheep dull; receipts 1000.

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, June 23 .about 20) head, with sales at 41 absc per pound; night. The weather bids fair to be delightful, the demand was slow, and the supply more than abundant. About 1000 Sheep and Lambs take part in the excursion. were offered, and the larger portion sold at prices ranging from 44able per 1b for Sheep, and 2.24 per head for Lambs. A few Cows and

Calves brought 25x\$55. receipts 1837; shipments 820.

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Depart ment, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1877-10:30 a. in. For New England and the Middle Atlantic States, stationary or lower pressure, southerly winds, warmer, partly cloudy weather and occasional showers.

EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL. - The fieal colebration of the Episcopal High School took place were Rt. R v. Drs. Pinckney, Penick and Whittle, and Drs. W. F. Watkins, E. A. Dalrymple, J. E. Grammer, G. W. Peterkin, and G. H. Kinsolvin, of Baltimore. Gen. W. H. F. Lee was also upon the platform.

Rev. Dr. Watkins opened the exercises with lent.

The annual address was delivered by Joseph Packard, jr., of Maryland. After the address the prizes were distributed

as follows: For Declamation-Fourth prize to John Points Nelson, of Shanghai, China; third there from the storm. The parties were John prize, to Robert Walton Moore, of Pairtax Mullin and his sans Edgar and Collin, also Mr. county, Va.; second prize to Fenner Statterthwaite Stickney, of North Carolina; first prize, to devanter's barn was also struck during the same Joseph Preston Carson, of Lynchburg, Va.

For Scholarship-Whittle Prize, to Royall James Miller, of Georgia, Robert Lee Randolph, of Baltimore, Md.; and William Steenbergen Spencer, of West Va.; Johns prize, to Morgan Hawley Beach, of Alexandria, Va., Berjamin Huger Heyward, of South Carolina, Alexander Shiras Larged, of Baltimore, Md., James Stewart McGehee, of Louisiana, and Frederick James Winston, of New York; Meade prize, to James Murray Larned, of Maryland.

Barelay prize medal, for Excellence in Mathematics, to J. Stewart McGehce, of Louisiana. Blackford prize Medal, for Excellence in English Composition, to Pembroke Lea Thom, of Baltimore.

Dalrymple Prize Medal, for Excellence in til next week. Luin and Greek, to Cornelius Baldwin Walker, of Fairfax county, Va.

The following students were announced as having been distinguished in every Examination of the session: Morgan H. Beach, of Alexandria, Va., Alexander S. Larned, of Baltimore, Md., J. Murray Larned, of Mary-land, M. Cabell Martin, of Clarke, J. Stewart McGebec, of Louisiana, Royail J. Miller, of Georgia, William S. Spencer, of West Virginia, S. Halsted Watkins, of Baltimore, Md. The exercises were then closed.

DEATH OF REV. DR. MITCHELL .- Jacob Duche Mitchell, D. D., departed this life at Il o'clock last night, at his residence on Royal, between Dake and Fairfax streets, in the 71st year of his age. Dr. Mitchell was born in Philadelphia, but had resided in Virginia since his early manhood, where he was well known as an able and zealous minister of the Presbyterian Church. His first charge was the church at Liberty, Bedford county, and he was afterwards, for many years, the pastor of the church in Lyochburg. He was a member of one of the eldest and most respectable families in his native city, being a brother of Professor Thomas D. Mitchell, of the Medical University, and of the late Joseph Mitchell, for many years the President of the Mechanics' Bank of Pulladelphia. He was thoroughly educated, being a graduate of the college at Princeton. and was a scholar of varied attainments beyond the field of his professional learning. No minister in the Synod of Virginia ranked higher in he sphere of theology. Dr. Mitchell was a leading member of various orders, including the Masons and Sons of Temperance, and was in all things zealous in every good word and work. The disease of which Dr. M. died was paralysis, attended with some symptoms of softening of the brain at the latest stages, which partially obscured his intellect for a few days; but he retained the use of his faculties to the end, and passed away, with comparatively STEPHENSON, of Fauquier. which partially obscured his intellect for a few little suffering, after a confinement of about two months. There will be a short religious service held at the residence at 7 o'clock a. m. to morrow, previous to the removal of the remains to

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS .- A meeting of the County Board of Supervisors was held at the old Court-house in this city yesterday.

Lynchburg for burial.

Wm. H. Robinson having been appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of F. G. Schutt, of Arlington District, appeared and was sworn in.

Edmund Burke was instructed to move upon the bond of Charles W. Payne, Collector of Taxes for Washington District, to recover \$25.41 taxes collected and unaccounted for; also upon the bond of Horatio Ball, Collector active. We note sales of 1125 bags at 191c, and 1000 bags at 201c, the latter to go West. The latest advices from Rio show a firmer market there. Our quotations are as follows:

| All the bods of Totaldo Bill, Confector of Taxes for Arlington District to recover \$21.58 taxes collected and unaccounted for. Mr. Burke was also instructed to institute such legal proceedings as in his judgment he may deems proper, on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, for the recovery and restoration to the Clerk's office of this county, the records and other books which were recently removed to the Clerk's office of Alexaudria city.

The report of the Superintendent of the Poor was received and approved with the exception of a charge of \$6 for the burial of Wm. Contee, and the Sheriff was ordered to ascertain and or PARCEL OF LAND, situate, lying and betime of his death.

II. Fractius was allowed \$8 per month for the support of John Lumpkins, a pauper.
The county levy was laid at 72 cents on the at 204 on the \$100, Arlington 34 cents on the \$100, and Washington 45 on the \$100.

The sum of \$2,500 was ordered to be set apart by the County Treasurer as a contingent

fund. The Board adjourned till the first Monday in December.

DEATHS - Mr. George Bossart, sr., whose illness was mentioned yesterday, died last night at his residence on Queen street. He was about fifty-six years old and a native of Germany, but had resided in this city for many years past. His death resulted from cholera morbus, with of convoyancing to be paid by purchaser, and which he was attacked on Tuesday morning. Mr. Bossart was a member of Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons, Potemac Lodge of Old Fellows, and the German Benevolent Society, all of which will attend his funeral on Sunday

next. Mr. Samuel Sanderson, a former citizen of this place, and at one time Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, died in Washington yesterday. He was well known to many of our older oitizens.

POLICE ITEMS. - John Laws, a notorious colored rough of Devil's Row, beat and threatened to drown Sophonia Ferguson, also colored, yesterday, and was chased by officer Joseph Horseman, but succeeded in making his escape. Last night, however, the officer captured him, and

James Simms, for being drunk and disorder ly, was sent to the work house for 30 days. Mike Morrisey, for disorderly conduct at the alms house, was fined and discharged. A colored boy, for throwing stones in the streets, was appropriately punished.

LIBRARY EXCURSION .- The excursion on the steamer City of Alexandria, for the benefit of the Alexandria Library, will take place to-

Beautiful Spring Dress Goods, Summer Silks, Bunting, Laws, Grenadines, beautiful Calico 4s, Black Siiks, Black Cashimeres, Black Alpacas, new Parasols, Cassimers f.r. CINCINNATI Hog MARKET, June 28.—Hogs active and firm; common 4 252\$1 50; light 4 65a 4 85; packing 4 60a\$4 80; butchers' 4 80a\$4 90; light 4 65a ington, is selling the cheapest dry goods. je 1-w4w

turned from Fauquier county we learn that the wheat harvest there is nearly ever and that the yield is an unusually heavy one, is ing in fact the finest ever harvested size to war. The grass erop also makes a aplent d yield, as also the oat and rye crop. It only me is a road war price for the c rials to put the farmers on their

THE HARVEST .- From a gentlem in just re

feet again. It seems to be the spuiled determi-nation of all the farmers in the State to heard their grain in anticipation of a rise in price, and on the 27th. Among the clergy in attendance to sell only what they are absolutely compelled to. With regard to Loudoup county the Mirror says: "Many of our farmers are through with their wheat harvest, and the most of them will get through this week. The yield promises to be good, and the quality of the grain is excel-

> STRUCK BY LIGHTNING -During the storm on Tuesday evening last the lightning struck the corn house of Mr. A. M. Clarke, near Clarke's Gap. Loudonn county, severely stunning some barvest hands who had taken refuse James Works and his son William. Isaac Van-

Local Brevilles.

Among the visitors in the city to-day was Col. F. W. M. Holliday, of Winchester, one of the prominent candidates for Governor, who was cordially welcomed by his many friend

In consequence of the severe storm on the evening of the 26th inst. the concert at the Presbyterian Church, Balston, was postponeds until Tuesday evening next, July 3d.

A little daughter of Rev. C. D. Walker died in Amherst Co., on Monday, and was brought the Theological Seminary, near this city, for interment.

In consequence of the closing exercises of Hallowell School to-night the regular meeting of the City School Board has been postponed un-Mr. Maris Taylor is lying dangerously ill at his residence, on Fairfax street, from an affec-

tion of the brain. No child can sleep soundly while suffering with Colic or from Teething. Remove the cause by using Dr. Buil's Baby Syrup. Only

25 cents per bottle. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, JUNE 29.

ARRIVED. Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F A Steamer J W Thompson, Leonardtown, to

F A Reed Steamer Mattano, Nomini, to Jos Broders Schr Annie Lewis, Georgetown, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co. Schr Geo K Hatch, Washington, to Hamp-

shire and Baltimore Coal Co. Schr Wm A Levering, New York, to American Coal Co. Schr Armida Hall, Boston, to master.

SAILED. Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, by F A Steamer Express, Baltimore, by Jos Broders & Co. Schr Annie Lewis, Boston, by Hampshire

and Baltimore Coal Co.
Schr T Morris Peret, Jersey City, by American Coal Co.
Schr E J Smith, Boston, by J P Agnew & Co.
Schr L A Rose, from Georgetown.
Schr Henry Daisey, hence for Allyn's Point,

t New London 27th.

MARRIED. June 25th, in Baltimore, by Rav. O. C. Beall, B. A. SHREVE, of Loudoun co., to SALLIE NELSON, of Baltimore.

On the 21st instant, at the residence of the bride's father. Upperville, Fauquier co., Va.,

"I have but once to die," significantly re-marked LUCIOUS HOLMAN SHATTUCK, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a few hours before his death, which occurred at 23 minutes to 8 o'clock this a. m. The deceased was in the 38th year of his age. They are blessed who have but once to die. Re His funeral will take place from the residence of his father in law. Mr. John T. Armstrong, No. 113 Cameron st., at 5 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

In this city, June 28th, Mr. GEORGE A. BOSSART, aged 56 years, 2 months and 19 days. Am His funeral will take place on Sunday evening, at 4 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. Robert Collingsworth, corner of Columbus and Oronoco sis.

RUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN STAFFORD CO., VA .- By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Henry C. Lee and Sally J. Lee, his wife, to the undersigned, bearing date April 12th, 1875, to secure to Philip A. Darneille the payment of the sum of \$5,000, with all interest thereon, and duly recorded in the land records of Stafford county, Virginia, and at the written request of the parties secured thereby, we will on WED-NESDAY, the 25th day of July, 1877, at 12 m. of that day, offer for sale by public auction, on the premises, the property conveyed by the deed aforesaid, to wit: A CERTAIN TRACT report what property said Contee owned at the ing in the county of Stafford, in the State of Virginia, on the Potomac river, being bounded by said river on the east, by Aquia creek and Bozy's pranch on the west, on the south by the land of S. Lee, and on the north by the land of John Lee, containing by survey 5il acres, and \$100, and the District school levy for Jefferson 2 roods, being the same land that was derived by the \$100. Arlington 34 cents on the by the said Henry C. Lee under the will of the bate A. M. Fitzhugh, of Fairfax county, Va., and being a part of a larger tract called "Arkindale," together with all the rights of fishery belonging to the same. Said tract of land lies on both sides of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. B., and about two miles below Richland station.

Terms: One third of the purchase money and the expenses of sale in cash; the residue in notes the purchaser at six, twelve and eighteen months, equal instalments, bearing interestirom day of sale, and secured by a deed of trust on the property sold. A deposit of \$300 will be re quired of the purchaser at the time of sale. Cost terms to be complied with in seven days, or the property to be resold at the cost of the defaultng purchaser.

B LEWIS BLACKFORD, Trustees. Stafford county, je 29-ts FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION TO

THE OCCOQUAN FALLS. The steamer ARLINGTON, Captain H. F. Duty, will leave King street wharf for the above place at 7 a. m. sharp, returning at a seasonable

hour in the evening.
A STRING BAND will furnish music for dancing. Tickets for gentlemen \$1; ladies 50c. je 29-4t

LADIES' WINDSORTIES, BOWS, SUARE:, FISCHER'S RUFFLINGS. RUCHINGS, &c, &c, &c., n great variety, at

FERGUSON & BRO'S.

96 King street. CHEAPSST DEY GOODS in Washington, D.C. One thousand yards of the best quality beautitul style CALICO, only 4se, worth 8c every-where. CARTER'S, 307 Market Space.

BEAUTIFUL LACE STRIPED WHITE GOODS, Satin figured, very fine, only 25c, worth ode. CARTER'S, 707 Market Space.

BLACK GRENADINES, in Striped, Plaid and Fancy Mesh, 20, 25, 31, 37, 50, 62, 75c and St. CARTER'S, 707 Market Space. BLACK SILKS VERY CHEAP-We are selling a Black Silk worth \$125 for \$1. STRIPED SUMMER SILKS chesp.

CARTER'S, 707 Market Space. Washington, je 22-wtf PRIME MESSINA LEMONS ust received MeBURNEY & SON. Gen. Grant.

A dispatch from Liverpool, dated last night, says :- Upwards of 200 gentlemen, including representatives of all the public bodies in the town, attended the banquet given to General Grant, which was held in the large ball room of the Town Hall, and was a very grand affair. Gen. Grant, who was in uniform, was welcomed with the greatest enthusiasm. He sat on the right of the Mayor. Next to General Grant sat Lieutenant General Sir Henry De Batte, Commander of the forces in the Northern District.

The Mayor, proposing Gen. Grant's health, spoke of the sterling qualities he possessed as a soldier, which had enabled him to restore peace and prosperity to his country. Gen. Grant, responding, said the reception he encountered in Great Britain was far beyond his expectation, and was such as any living person might feel proud of. He believed, however, that it was indicative of the friendly relations which existed between the two people, who were of one kindred, blood and civilization. He hoped that the friendship would continue to be cultivated and long endured. Referring to some remarks relative to the British army, he said there were as many soldiers now at Aldershot as in the regular army of the United States, which had a frontier of thousands of miles. but if necessary the United States could raise volunteers, and he and Mr. Fairchild were examples of what those volunteers were.

At a special meeting of the Town Council of Sheffield yesterday it was resolved to invite ex-President Grant to vist Sheffield in the autumn.

A fatal accident occurred at Prof. Wagner's boys' private school, near Lancaster, Pa., yesterday. One of the boys had smuggled a small revolver into the school and exhibited it to a companien, who flourished and pointed it at a boy named McCullough. The pistol went off accidentally, instantly killing young McCullough, the ball entering the right eye.

Point, has been assigned to the 10th regiment of cavalry, for duty, where, we are afraid, he will have to flock like Sothon's bird of a feather, by himself.

A soldier company from Porthmouth, N. H. have accepted an invitation from the Mayor of Porthmouth, England, to visit that city next

ng to this country.

Whatever tends to keep the blood pure surely tends to prolong life. Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture by its specific action upon the blood keeps it always in a condition of purity.

OFFICIAL.

common council.

At a called meeting of the Common Council, held June 23, 1877, there were present: Hugh Latham, esq. President, and Messrs. Chauncey, Broders, Ficklin, Marbury, Blondheim, Lambdin, Ford, Smith, Stewart, Hughes, Evans, Scales and Miller.

A resolution authorizing the Corporation Attorney to coafess judgment in a suit wherein the Treasurer of the State is plaint if and the City Council of Alexandria defendant, was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in

The Revenue bill, amended by the Board of Aldermen, was received from that board and all its amendments but two-that relating to the license tax on the agent for the sale of ginger peer, pop, &c., made out of the city, and that

relating to oyster packers—concurred in.

A petition of John T. Hill, Tax Collector, for an appropriation of \$5.95, balance due C. C. Chichester for meat furnished the soup house, was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in A bill of L. McK. Bell, amounting to \$5, and

one of Clarence Wheat, amounting to \$2, for election services, were ordered to be paid. Mr. Hughes introduced a resolution, which was defeated, providing that the police force be reduced to ten men.

The action of the Board of Aldermen in adopting the report of the committee on the ap-plication of the sureties of E. H. Delahay was concurred in by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs. Chauncey, Marbury, Blondheim, Fick-lin, Smith, Ford, Stewart, Hughes, Evans, Seales and Miller-11 Nocs, Mr. Broders and Mr. President-2.

Mr. Hughes introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:
Resolved, That the thanks of this board be, and the same are hereby, tendered to Hugh Latham, esq, for the able and impartial manner n which he has discharged his duties as Presi-

dent of this board during the past year.

The President acknowledged the compliment in a few appropriate words and declared the board ac journed. HAROLD SNOWDEN, Clerk. Testo:

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TO CHECK DIARRHEA. - Diarrica is a complaint that the human family suffer more from at this time of the year than from any other and should be treated very carefully in order to restore the bowels to their proper strength. There is a wine made in New Jersey and sold by our druggists, called Speer's Port Grape Wine, which is being used very successfully in D arrhea cases; in fact it is conceeded by chemists to contain just such properties as gradually check the fermenting of the bowels and add tone and vigor to the system so as to withstand the miss. matic climate against these prevailing complaints. The wine is rich in body and is an excellent tonic, keeping the functions of the bowels in their proper condition .- Evening Post.

NO! I WILL NOT LEAVE THE CITY .-Times elsewhere being no better than here, I have reconsidered my resolution and determined to stay, for which purpose I have rented the well known stand of the late Robert D. Wood, south-west corner of King and Fairfax streets, to begin there next August. Meanwhile I will close out my entire fine Stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishings, comprising nice Plaid Cassimer Suits at \$5; Suits of all Linen Goods \$250; Coats all Linen 75 cents; Pants all Linen 75 cents, &c., &c., without reserve. Therefore, all persons desiring to procure bargains will do well to give us a call. S. DEALHAM, 89 King street.

LOOK! LOOK!-We have had sent us from a large retailer in New York city quite a

lot of LADIES' BOOTS which are a little out

of style. They will be sold at about one fourth of their cost. Ask for job lot at WADDEY'S, 74 King st. FOT TO THE LADIES. - We have just received a very large and superior stock of LOW QUARTER SHOES, in all of the late styles

They are handsome and durable. THESE GOODS ARE FIRST CLASS, and they will be sold for much less than they can be bought elsewhere. WADDEY, 71 King st.

TEETH, if not kept clean, som decay. Young people, remember this Use daily THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER It will preserve them through lite. Sold by dragglets. 25c per bottle feb 28-ly

HARD TIMES demand economy. Pracven's INODORLESS KID GLOVE CLEANER. It will cleanse them thoroughly. sold by druggists. 25 cents per bottle

PERSONAL—Parties having claims against or indebted to the late CHARLES P. HARMON, Attorney at Law, of Washington, D. C., will please communicate with his widow, Mrs. E. K. F. HARMON, 1207 13th st., n. w., or her Attorney, MILLS DEAN, 458 La ave., je 26 DAVY & HARMON. Je 25

AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer, (No 56 King street, Alexandria, Va.)

SALE OF A DESIRABLE PIECE OF
PROPERTY IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.—
On SATURDAY, the 30th day of June, 1877, at 12 o'clock, on the promises, the subscriber will sell by public auction, to the highest bidder, a TRACT or PARCEL OF LAND, owned by Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad Company— Dallas Peyton, lying and situate in the city or so many as may be sufficient to realize the afore aid, 40 feet front on Prince street, running sum of \$2.500 and costs of sale. thence through 40 feet on Commerce street, the same being a part of lot No 32, allotted to W. H. Peyton in partition of Francis Peyton's estite. Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser. Terms-Cash.

&c., vs. Pickett and als., now pending in said court, I will seil at the Sheriff's office, (over No. 1007 Main street) city of Richmond, on the THIRD DAY OF JULY, 1877, at 11 o'clock, 180 A NO. 1 ARMY TENTS, POLES, &c., complete. These tents are new, in good order,

and in it toen original packages.

JOHN W. WRIGHT,

ie 23-5t Sheriff city of Richmond.

By Harrison & O'Noal, Auctioneers. THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC IS called to an immense sale of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c. By virtue of an execution issued out of the

Circuit Court of Alexandria city against the goods and chattels of James M. Stewart, I will sell by public auction, commoncing on

MONDAY, JUNE 18th, 1817.

at 10 o'clock a m., and continuing from day to day until the entire stock is sole, at the store, NO. 99 KING STREET,

Lieut. Fipper, the colored graduate of West the following property, levied upon by me to satisfy the said execution, viz: All that large and well assorted stock of

NOTIONS and

FANCY GOODS,

It is rumored that Richard Wagner, is com- now in the store of James M. Stewart, consist-

DRY GOODS.

POPLINS,

GRENADINES, CALICOES,

CARPETING.

and everything appertaining to a first class Dry Goods store.

22-Sale positively without reserve. Hours of Sale: From 10 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 5 p. m. and SATURDAY NIGHTS

from 71 to 91 o'clock. Monday and Tuesday, June 18 and 19, will soll in lots to suit jobbers and country dealers. Terms of Sale: Positively cash before the goods are delivered. R. T. LUCAS.

Sergeant of Alexandria city. je! EXCURSIONS, PICSICS, &c. FAMILY EXCURSIONS.

The fine steamer CHARLOTTE VANDERBILT, Captain Charles Entwisle, will, until further notice, make tri-weekly trips down the Potomac, leaving Hood's wharf MONDAYS, WEDNES DAYS and FRIDAYS, at 529 o'clock p. m.; returning about 8 o'clock p. m. Tickets 50 cts.;

children half price. SATURDAYS the steamer will go to PINEY POINT and POINT LOOKOUT, leaving Prince street wharf at 9 p. m; returning Monat the auction rooms of Harrison & O'Neal, 16 day about 530 o'clock a. in. Tickets \$150 north Royal street.

Terms of Sale: One third cash; the residue in Sand 6 months; the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, bearing interest from Pres. Pioneer Steamboat Co.

HO! FOR PINEY POINT, FORT MON-ROE NORFOLK AND THE CAPES. The splendid steamer JANE MOSELEY will resume her SATURDAY NIGHT TRUPS to the above points, commencing SATURDAY EVENING the 16th instant, at 830 o'clock; returning will arrive in Alexandria about 5.30

m. Monday. Fare-Round trip to Piney Point \$2; to all other points St. Call and secure a stateroom for this delightful trip.

Good Caterer employed. Piano on board.
SAM'L. BACON, Pres't.
jo 21 F. A. REED, Agent. GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TO MARSHALL HALL, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ALEXAN-DRIA LIBRARY. The steamer City of Alexandria will leave her wharf, at the foot of King street, FRIDAY,

June 29th, at 8 o'clock p. m.; returning at mid-The ALEXANDRIA BAND will furnish music for dancing. Tickets-Gentlemen 50c; ladies and children 25c-which can be had at the stores of Geo. E

French and S. H. Lunt, and from the members of the Board of Directors. R W. FALLS, J. H. D. SMOOT, J. R ZIMMERMAN, PARK AGNEW, Committee.

je 20-td FOR MOUNT VERNON.

STEAMER MARY WASHINGTON. Daily trios, leaving the wharf, foot of Prince street, at 10 a m. Carri-ges are in waiting at Mount Vernon Springs wharf to take vi-itors a pleasant ride of one mile and a half through peautiful grove to the mansion door. Hound trip, including admission to grounds, carriage

fare, &c., St. CHEAP CHILDREN'S TRIP. Children will be taken on Saturdays for 15 ets. Adults 25c Round trip, sllowing the privilege or landing and waiting the boat's return at any of her wharves. Tickets will entitle the holders to stop over at

the usual landings until the return trip of the boat; good only on Saturdays. Children must in all cases be accompanied by their parents or some adult friend. THE STEAMBOAT MARY WASHING-

TON can be chartered for Excursions by applying on board to P. H. TROTH, President of the Company, or to H.C. SLAYMAKER, at his Insurance office, 57 and 59 King street | jo 16

LILLIS' ADJUSTABLE TREADLE.

ADAPTED TO ALL SEWING MACHINES. This Treadle is one of the greatest improvements of the age, as by its introduction the objection to the use of Sewing Machines is obvivisted and instead of its being an unhealthy and laborious task, condemned by the medical fraterally and injurious to these who work them, by the use of this althoument the operation of the machine is positively a hesithful and pleasant exercise. Several of these Treadles are now in use in cureity, and we are permitted to refer to those who own them and who aver that they would not be without them for the original cost of the machine. All orders left at C. C. Berry's Fancy Store, at the Mansien House, or with either of the undersigned will be promptly

O. A. EWBANK. H. B. WHITTINGTON. No persons will be expected to retain the above attachments unless they are perfectly satisfied with their operation. je 27-eo2w

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Actioneers.]

VILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION
ON THE SECOND DAY OF JULY, 1877, at 12 o'clock m . in front of the Postoffica

CHAS. R. HOOFF. je 13-ts By Green & Wise,

sioners therein named, will offer for sale by pub-lic auction, on WEDNESDAY, July 11th,

Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale; the purchaser to give his notes, bearing interest, for the deferred payments, and title to be retained until all of the purchase money is paid; the property to be kept insured against fire, and in event of its destruction by fire, the insurance money, or so much thereof as may be necessary to complete the purchase, to be paid to the commissioners of sale.

5. FERGUSON BEACH, JOHN S. CHAPMAN, Comm'rs of Sale.

the subscriber. is trustee; created by a deed of trust from Joseph H. Hellidge and wife, for the benefit of L. S. Abbett, dated May 5th, 1874, will sell, by public auction, all that CERTAIN PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, in Falls

Sewell, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stake in the centre of avenue and a corner of the lot sold Isaac S Hollidge by the said Abbett: thenco with a line of said lot south 162°, east 93 poles to a stake and pile of stones in the outer line near some trees now marked as pointers; thence with the outline now marked north 82°, east 45 poles and 5 links to a marked chestnut tree standing on a hill and shown as a corner of this lot and the land of W. A. Duncan and Levi Parker; thence with Parker's line north 16‡°, west 115 poles to a small wild cherry tree standing in the centre of the avenue before referred to; thence with the said centre south 517°, west 47 poles and 23 links to the beginning, containing 29 acres, be the same more or less, together with all the improvements and appurtenances.

Terms: \$100 814, with interest from May 5th, 1874, and costs of sale, etc.,—s y \$75, more or less—to be paid in cash; the title to be retained until paid, and the property to be resold at purcaser's risk in case of default. One hundred to be paid on day of sale.

By Harrison & O' Neal, Auctioneers.

following property, viz:
A LOT on the west side of Pitt street, between Cameron and Queen. 32 feet 6 inches front, and running back 66 feet to a ton feet alley, improved by a BRICK STABLE, containing four stalls, with large feed room Water in the yard.

2. A LOT near the the Canal Basin, improved by a stone structure 18 feet deep and 32161 feet

FOUR UNIMPROVED BUILDING LOTS, 17 feet I inch front, on the east side of Payne street, between Duke and Prince, run-ning parallel with Prince st. 10) feet to a 40 feet court, together with the right to use a ten foot

alley.

4 A LOT OF GROUND improved by a two story FRAME BUILDING, beginning at a point on the north side of an alley 100 feet south of Queen street, and extending from Fayette st. to Henry street, beginning on said alley 70 feet.

the day of sale, to be given for the deferred payments. Conveyancing at the expense of the

Queen streets. Purchasar to pay the cost of conveyancing.
je 9-ts JAMES M. STEUART, Committee. BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Circuit Court of Prince William county, entered on the 15th day of May, 1877, in Sinclair vs. Alexander, a suit in equity therein pending, the undersigned, commissioners, will, on the SECOND DAY OF JULY, 1877, (that being Court day) proceed to sell before the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, by public auction, to the highest bidder, TWO LOES in the town of Newport, on the following Terms, to wit: for each sufficient to pay costs of suit and expenses or asie, and the residue on a cradit of one, two and three years, with interest from date; the terest of payments to be en-cured by bond and personal security, and the title to the property rathered until the payment

A. MICCIA Pr. Wm. co. it 7-ts - Comm'rs, of Sale. By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneur, (No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Va.) THEOSTEE'S SALE —By virtue of a deed of trust from Levi Jones, jr., to me, dated the 21st day of December, 1875, and of record in Liber U., No 1, p. 214 of the land records of Alexandria county, Va., and at the request of the person thereby secured, 1 small, on MCN-DAY, the 9.h day of July, 1877, at 12 o'clock in., on the premises, sell by public auction, ALL THAT TRAUT OF LAND, with the improvements thereon, situated near

CHAS E. SINCLAIR.

with the improvements thereon, strated nest Four Mile Kun, in said county; and containing FIVE ACRES OF LAND, the same being the south haif of lot No. 7 as described in a platead certificate of survey made by Thomas N. Cartor.

Surveyor, dated October 2), 1871. Terms of Salo-Cash. Purchaser to pay the

WOOD-BURNED

LLME Received the modal of bonor and diploma of merit at the Centennial. The judge's report says:
"It is very white slacks well and is valuable for building purposes." It has greater strength and will do more work for the mechanic than an equal quantity of any lime in the market. Speial rates to farmers and builders using large usntities. WASHINGTON & BRO.

Agents for Alexandria. EMBROIDERY CANV S-Waffle, Bar-laps and Java-n White Checks and Piaids, at FERGUSON & BRO'S.

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OM MISSIONERS' SALE OF A VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT-By virtue of CHERIFF'S SALE OF 180 A NO. 1 AROther Properties of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Vs., rendered at its April term, 1877, in the cause of Margaret Welman vs. Elizatered in the suit of Pickett's administrators, &c., vs. Pickett and als now pending in soil

PRUSTEES' SALE OF FALL'S CHURCH PROPERTY, FAIRFAX CO., VA.-On SATURDAY July 7th, 1877, on the premises, Church township, Fairfax county, Va., portion of a larger tract purchased by Abbott from

GEORGE B. TVES, Trustees
T. T. FOWLER,
Fai: fax county, je 3-w4w

WILL BE SOLD in front of our auction V house. No. 16 north Royal street, on THURSDAY, June 21st, at 12 o'clock m., the

in length and breadth, known as the ice house

east of Henry street, and running thence west 20 feet, north parallel to Fayette street 40 feet; tuence east with said alloy 20 feet; thence south in a straight line 40 feet to the beginning. Plats of the above described lots can be seen

purchaser. je 6-ts

AB The above sale has been postponed until
SATURDAY, July 7th, at the same time and
in 21-ts

By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers.

Y VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, entered on the 5th day of April, 1877, in the matter of James H. Biggs, an instane person, the undersigned will, on the NINTH DAY OF JULY, 1877, proceed to sell, before the front door of the Court House, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, by public auction, for each, the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of said James H. Biggs: A LOT OF GROUND, with a FRAME HOUSE thereon, on the west side of Alfred street, and fronting there in 11 feet 9 inches, more or less, by 123 feet 5 inches deep, between Cameron and by 123 feet 5 inches deep, between Cameron and

the whole purchase money

ie 7-ts LOUIS E. PAYNE, Trustee.

